

### IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please rewrite paragraph 1 on page 1 with the following paragraph:

### FIELD OF THE INVENTION

This invention relates to an electric powered rotary saw for cutting medical casts or the like and more particularly to an electric powered rotary saw with a removable mounting member for positioning a saw blade to rotate in a plane which is generally parallel with a rotatable shaft but angularly offset therefrom of an angle of about  $0^{\circ}$  to  $8^{\circ}$   $0^{\circ}$  to  $30^{\circ}$ .

Please rewrite paragraph 1 on page 6 with the following paragraph:

Referring now to Figure 5, an alternative embodiment of my earlier invention is illustrated. In this embodiment, the longitudinally extending mounting member includes an angled portion 40, which is slightly angled to the left at an angle  $\alpha$ . This allows for the cutting debris to be directed away from the user and the angled mounting member provides for better viewing of the object being cut. This saw may also be useful in the medical profession. As a non-limiting example,  $\alpha$  may be about  $30^{\circ}$ . Moreover, this embodiment allows a right-handed user to use the hacksaw rotary saw as oriented in Figure 5, or the hacksaw rotary saw may be rotated  $180^{\circ}$  along its longitudinal axis so that it can be held by a left-handed user.